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TAGS: PFOR, SOPN

SUBJECT: RFE/RL OLYMPIC ACCREDITATION

1. IN VIEW OF SOVIET AND EE LOBBYING AGAINST RFE/RL  
COVERAGE OF OLYMPIC GAMES IN MONTREAL, RFE AND RL ARE ANXIOUS  
TO OBTAIN BALANCED AND COMPLETE PICTURE OF HOW SOVIET AND EE  
MEDIA ARE HANDLING THE GAMES. RFE AND RL ARE PARTICULARLY  
INTERESTED IN LEARNING WHETHER USSR AND ITS ALLIES ARE SLANTING  
THEIR MEDIA COVERAGE FOR POLITICAL PURPOSES.

2. RFE AND RL HAVE INSTRUCTED THEIR MONITORS TO PROVIDE  
WHAT THEY CAN. THEY ARE NOT RPT NOT ABLE TO MONITOR TV,  
HOWEVER.

3. WE UNDERSTAND THAT RFE/RL MANAGEMENT HERE HAS TELEXED  
RFE/RL HEADQUARTERS TO REQUEST THAT DEPARTMENT ASK US EMBASSIES  
IN USSR AND EE TO REPORT ON TV COVERAGE OF GAMES. IF SUCH  
REQUEST IS MADE, CONGEN HOPES DEPARTMENT WILL HONOR IT ON AN  
EXCEPTIONAL BASIS.  
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